

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN JOSE DIVISION

BOY RACER,) Case No.: C 11-02834 LHK (PSG)
v. Plaintiff,)
JOHN DOES 2-52,)
Defendants.)
**ORDER INVITING SUBMISSION OF
AMICUS CURIAE BRIEFS**
(Docket No. 3)

Plaintiff Boy Racer, Inc. (“Boy Racer”) applies *ex parte* for leave to take expedited and limited discovery prior to the Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f) conference. In *Boy Racer, Inc. v. Does 1-52*, Case No. 11-2329, this court granted Boy Racer’s motion for leave to take limited discovery as to Doe 1 only, and ordered that Does 2-52 be severed and reassigned to an Article III judge.¹ Does 2-52 were severed and assigned the new case number above. Judge Koh is the presiding judge in this severed matter and any discovery matters have been referred to the undersigned.²

In the *ex parte* application, Boy Racer addresses the issues set forth in the court's prior order that caused the court to sever defendants other than Doe 1.

The court has set a hearing on Boy Racer's application for July 12, 2011. Because of the *ex parte* nature of the application and the underlying facts, the court invites amicus curiae briefs from

1 See Docket No. 8.

² See Docket No. 7.

1 non-parties. No later than July 5, 2011, any non-party wishing to respond to the application may file
2 a brief of 15 pages or less on the electronic docket in this action. No reply will be considered.

3 Dated: June 17, 2011

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5 PAUL S. GREWAL
United States Magistrate Judge

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